



PATENT Customer No. 22,852 Attorney Docket No. 7883.0005-04

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No: 09/710,884		)
		) Prior Group Art Unit: 3732
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For:	STENT DELIVERY SYSTEM AND METHOD OF USE	) } } Per 1
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to the examination of the above application, please amend this application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 2-68, and add new claims 69-108, as follows:

69. (New) A delivery catheter, comprising:

an elongate tubular body having a proximal end and a distal end and a lumen extending between the proximal end and the distal end;

an anchoring member mounted proximate the distal end of the tubular body; and a steering member mounted proximate the distal end of the tubular body at a position distal to the anchoring member.

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